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PO BOX 159  
705 PARKWAY AVENUE  
EAGLE LAKE, MN 56024



## SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESSES

Visit the Eagle Lake business directory at  
<https://eaglelakemn.com/businesses>

## SAVE THE DATES

### REC ON THE GO

WEDNESDAYS • June 16 - August 11

### JULY 15

MUSIC ON PARKWAY • *Powerhouse*

### JULY 15-18

EAGLE LAKE TATOR DAYS

### AUGUST 3

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

### AUGUST 19

MUSIC ON PARKWAY • *City Mouse*

### SEPTEMBER 10

OUTDOOR MOVIE • *Star Wars: Return of the Jedi*

*DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE*



# CITY OF EAGLE LAKE NEWSLETTER

**SUMMER 2021**

Population: 3,158

**City Hall**  
PO Box 159  
705 Parkway Avenue  
Eagle Lake, Minnesota 56024  
507-257-3218  
eaglelakemn.com



## **CITY HALL HOURS**

Monday - Friday | 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## **UTILITY PAYMENTS**

For utility customer convenience, a drop box is located on the east side of City Hall for utility bill payments and is available seven days a week, 24 hours a day. Utility bill payment options include the following: on-line, auto-pay, by mail, in person, or by phone using a credit or debit card.

## **QUESTIONS? CONCERNS?**

Please let us know your questions and/or concerns directly so that we can do our best to promptly address your questions and/or concerns. City staff can be reached during business hours at City Hall, via phone, or electronically using the **"CONTACT US"** feature on the City of Eagle Lake website at:

<https://eaglelakemn.com/contact>

## **IMPORTANT NOTE**

The City of Eagle Lake communicates with residents using its

**City of Eagle Lake Website**

**City of Eagle Lake Facebook Page**

**City of Eagle Lake Email Blasts**

**Mailers**

*Such as quarterly newsletters mailed to all postal patrons with a 56024-zip code*

Questions posed to the City of Eagle Lake via the **Eagle Lake Community Facebook Page** will **not** be answered by City staff as the City of Eagle Lake is not affiliated with the Eagle Lake Community Facebook page. Please contact the City of Eagle Lake directly with any questions that you wish to have answered by City staff.

Stay informed about City news by signing up for City of Eagle Lake email news updates.

**SIGN UP ONLINE OR CONTACT CITY HALL**



## EAGLE LAKE **LOST & FOUND**

A number of items have been turned into City Hall recently.  
Stop by City Hall during regular business hours to claim lost items.

**CITY HALL HOURS** | Monday - Friday | 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## EAGLE LAKE **CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS**



**HELD THE FIRST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH • 6 P.M.**  
**ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

Persons wishing to address the City Council can do so in person or written comments or questions can be submitted via USPS, email, or dropped off at City Hall to be read at the meeting.

To view meetings, please visit the City of Eagle Lake website at [eaglelakemn.com](http://eaglelakemn.com) and click on the “**City of Eagle Lake MN City Council Meetings**” icon (as shown on the right) on the home page of the website.



### **PARTNERSHIP**

*The City is pleased to partner with Mankato East High School's Work-Based Learning (WBL) Program to utilize a student intern that will be trained to operate the audio and video equipment used to live stream meetings.*

## EAGLE LAKE **BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS OPENINGS**

### **APPLY NOW**

**TO SERVE ON THE PARK BOARD OR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY!**

### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

The Economic Development Authority (EDA) coordinates and administers economic development plans and programs of the City.

### **PARK BOARD**

The Park Board reviews programming for existing parks and reviews areas for future parks.

**To obtain an application, visit the City's website or stop by City Hall.**

# COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

## EAGLE LAKE AMERICAN LEGION POST 617 FARMERS MARKET

The Legion will be offering space for anyone interested in participating in a "Farmers Market".

### DATE

EVERY WEDNESDAY  
JUNE THROUGH LABOR DAY

### TIME

4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.  
APPROX.

### LOCATION

AMERICAN LEGION POST 617  
PARKING LOT

There is no fee to participate and no obligation to participate weekly. Please be respectful of the Legion's property.

**ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT TAMIE FROM THE LEGION AT (507) 327-7787**



## FREE EVENT MUSIC ON PARKWAY

On the City owned green space situated between the American Legion and Eagle's Nest along Parkway Avenue.

**JULY 15**  
**POWERHOUSE**  
7 - 10 PM

**AUGUST 19**  
**CITY MOUSE**  
7 - 10 PM

*Bring a lawn chair or blanket to enjoy the music.*

*Music on Parkway is made possible by a matching grant from the Southern Minnesota Initiative Foundation and partnership with the City of Eagle Lake and Eagle Lake Community Development Foundation.*



## UNDER THE STARS FREE OUTDOOR MOVIE EVENT AT EAGLE LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



Bring chairs and blankets for seating. Families may also bring their own snacks.

**STAR WARS**  
RETURN OF THE JEDI  
FRIDAY, SEPT. 10

**6PM**  
FAMILY  
ACTIVITIES

**7PM**  
FREE SUPPER  
*While Supplies Last*

**DUSK**  
MOVIE

For more information, cancellation, and makeup status, call Mankato Community Education and Recreation  
507-387-5501 or visit their website at [www.mankatocer.com](http://www.mankatocer.com)



*All times are approximate.*

FREE EVENT  
**NATIONAL NIGHT OUT**

**HOSTED BY**  
Epiphany Lutheran Church  
*in Partnership with*  
Eagle Lake Area Lions Club



**INCLUDED**  
Fire Truck  
Police Squad  
Games & Prizes for the Kids

**AUGUST 3 | 5 - 7 PM**  
Epiphany Lutheran Church  
*Epiphany Lutheran Church*

**HOT DOG, CHIPS & POP**  
Free Will Offering

*Proceeds will go towards the Parks Project*

**REC ON THE GO!**  
SUMMER 2021



**SCHEDULE**

WEDNESDAYS IN EAGLE LAKE

**JULY 7 | 9:30 - 11:30 AM**

LAKE EAGLE PARK

*Snag Golf, Trail Fitness, Arts & Crafts & More*

**JULY 14 | 4:30 - 6:30 PM**

LAKE EAGLE PARK

*Soccer, STEAM Activities & More*

**JULY 21 | 9:30 - 11:30 AM**

LAKE EAGLE PARK

*Tug-A-War, Kickball, Paint Crafts & More*

**JULY 28 | 4:30 - 6:30 PM**

FRAZE PARK

*Sand Volleyball, Parachute Fun & More*

**AUGUST 4 | 4:30 - 6:30 PM**

LAKE EAGLE PARK

*Hawaiian Themed Activities & Water Day*

**AUGUST 11 | 4:30 - 6:30 PM**

EAGLE HEIGHTS PARK

*Camping Activities & More*

REGISTRATION IS RECOMMENDED FOR THIS **FREE ACTIVITY** BUT NOT REQUIRED

[www.mankato.eleyo.com](http://www.mankato.eleyo.com)



**STAY CONNECTED**

@mankatocer

[www.facebook.com/mankatocer](http://www.facebook.com/mankatocer)

#CERMankato

#FRESHSTART

#SUMMERWITHUS!



## BUTTONS

Purchase buttons for \$2 at local businesses. Show your button at the Legion for **FREE FRENCH FRIES** while supplies last! Starts at 2pm Saturday.

# TATOR DAYS EVENTS

## 2021

## MEDALLION HUNT

Medallion Hunt Clues will be posted in town around noon, and on Facebook later in the day. **Find the Medallion and get \$50.** Thank you to Olson Chiropractic for hosting and sponsoring this event!

### MONDAY 7/12

6:30pm

**Little Miss Tator Tot and Mr Fry Guy** ▲

### THURSDAY 7/15

7:00 - 10pm

**Music on Parkway** ●  
**Featuring Powerhouse**  
ELFD will be serving hot dogs & brats - free will donation!

### FRIDAY 7/16

6:00pm Registration  
6:30pm Start

**Pedal Pull** ●

7:30pm

**Trivia Night** ▲

### SATURDAY 7/17

8:00am - 11:00am

**Pancake Breakfast** ●

8:00am 5k  
9:00am Kids Mile

**Tator Days 5K**  
**Kids 1 Mile Race** ★

12:00pm - 1:00pm Reg  
1:30pm Bags Fly

**Race to 21 Cornhole Tournament** ▲  
See Facebook for registration details

1:00pm

**Tator Days Parade**  
See Facebook for route map

1:00pm

**Eagle Lake Expos vs Janesville** ●

2:00pm All Day Event

**Rib Cookoff** ▲  
\$10 tickets meal tickets available

2:00pm

**Kids Water Fights** ●

### SATURDAY 7/17

2:00pm

**Free French Fries** ▲  
Show your button at the Legion for free french fries starting at 2pm and continuing while supplies last. Thank you to Denny Terrell and ReMax Dynamic Agents for your sponsorship!

2:00pm - 4:00pm

**Bounce House** ●  
\$5 wrist-band per child

3:00pm

**Duke Burger Eating Contest** ●  
Contact the Eagle's Nest to register in advance

4:00pm

**Eagle Lake Expos vs Lake Crystal** ●

3:30pm

**Family Big Bucks Bingo** ▲

8:30pm

**Street Dance** ●  
**Tony Flynn Project and Drive Station**

### SUNDAY 7/18

8:00am - 11am

**Red Eye Breakfast Special** ▲

12:30pm Registration  
1:00pm Cards Fly

**Cribbage Tourney** ▲

3:00pm Raffle Drawing

**Corn Hole Board Raffle** ▲  
Buy raffles for \$10 each to win custom corn hole boards donated by Oachs Custom Woodworking! Drawing is Sunday at 3pm @ the Legion.

▲ American Legion  
★ Eagle Lake Elementary

● Eagle Lake City Park  
● Eagle's Nest

● Eagle Lake Fire Hall  
● Parkway

# THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

## EAGLE LAKE PARKS PROJECT

### PHASE I

Phase I of the Parks Project would not have been possible without the generous financial support of so many individuals, organizations, and businesses. Phase I consisted of adding new equipment and base material to the playground at Lake Eagle Park and the establishment of a new playground at Eagle Heights Park.



### FUNDING IS CURRENTLY BEING SOUGHT TO COMPLETE PHASE II OF THE PARKS PROJECT

The construction of a new park pavilion at Lake Eagle Park.

## DONATE TO CANS FOR KIDS

Donating your aluminum cans to "Cans for Kids" is an easy way to support the Eagle Lake parks.

*The proceeds from the cans go towards the parks.*



### DONATION LOCATION

Near the Eagle Lake water tower  
**PLEASE DO NOT BAG CANS**



## DONATE YOUR RECYCLABLE PLASTIC

The Eagle Lake Area Lions Club encourages residents and businesses to join in helping make a difference for our environment by collecting and donating #2 and #4 recyclable plastic bags, wrap and mailers.

#### What can be recycled?

*All plastic must be clean, dry and free of food residue.*



COLLECTION RUNS FROM  
**MAY 1 - NOVEMBER 1, 2021**

Our goal is to collect

**500 LBS** OF PLASTIC → **40,500** PLASTIC FILM & BAGS

over the next 6 months which will be donated to [Trex.com/recycling](https://www.trex.com/recycling). For our efforts, **our community will receive a Trex park bench at no charge** in return which will be placed and used in one of our area city parks.

### DONATION LOCATIONS

City Hall  
**705 PARKWAY AVE, EAGLE LAKE**  
Paul's Plumbing and Heating Office  
**305 BLACE AVE, EAGLE LAKE**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP SUPPORTING THE PARKS AND HELPING THE ENVIRONMENT.**

MESSAGE FROM  
**PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR BRIAN GOETTL**  
**AND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

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**DROUGHT CONDITIONS AND WATER CONSERVATION**

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As a water supplier serving over 1,000 people, Eagle Lake received notification on June 15th from the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources that cities with persistent moderate drought conditions may be asked to begin implementing water conservation measures if dry conditions continue. If conservation measures are necessary, in addition to notifying the local media, notice will also be posted on the City's Facebook page and email distribution list advising utility customers of any water use restrictions.

The Public Works Department monitors water usage and capacity daily. As the summer heats up, residents may wish to voluntarily consider some water conservation measures.



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**WATER CONSERVATION TIPS FROM THE DNR**

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**DAILY WATER APPLICATION IS UNNECESSARY FOR HEALTHY ESTABLISHED TURF.**

Before watering, verify that the grass needs watering:

<b>STEP ON THE GRASS</b>	
	
<b>DO NOT WATER</b> if the grass springs back	<b>WATER</b> if the grass stays flat

**EFFECTIVE LAWN WATERING**

- Water landscapes and lawns **during the early morning**, when it is still cool.
- Lawns need about 1 inch of rain or water per week.
- **Deep soaking is better** for roots than frequent shallow watering.
- **Water your lawn infrequently**, one time or less per week, assuming no rainfall has occurred.
- Cut grass **3 to 4 inches**.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:**

[https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/waters/watermgmt\\_section/appropriations/water-conservation-residents.html](https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/waters/watermgmt_section/appropriations/water-conservation-residents.html)



# GRASS CLIPPINGS ARE **STORMWATER POLLUTANTS**

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**KEEP GRASS CLIPPINGS AND YARD WASTE OUT OF THE STREET AND GUTTERS**

*PLEASE DO NOT BLOW GRASS CLIPPINGS INTO THE STREET*

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Yard waste is a major source of pollution in surface waters. That is because it is filled with phosphorous — both artificial and naturally occurring — that feeds algae. Algal blooms can cause health problems for humans and wildlife and create some unsightly and foul-smelling water bodies.

## **PLEASE REMEMBER**

The only thing that should be going into storm drains is **water from rain and melting snow.**

## **BASIC FACTS ABOUT STORMWATER PONDS**

- Stormwater ponds are used in an area where land is altered, and additional runoff is generated due to a reduction in permeable surface.
- Ponds that are in neighborhoods or backyards generally serve a larger area than just the adjacent properties, by means of collecting street runoff with underground pipes and directing all the runoff from a development or neighborhood to one location.
- The ponds help to treat stormwater and water quality (pollutants within the water). This is based on federal, state, and local regulations. The overall goal of these regulations is to help protect our natural resources and to prevent downstream impacts.
- The main purpose of ponds is to help control and treat stormwater. They are not intended for aesthetics but can serve this purpose as an added benefit.
- Ponds are inspected on a regular basis (every 5 years, or as needed) to ensure functionality. The inlets, outlets, depth, and other attributes are reviewed to confirm that they are working properly.

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Property owners that are directly adjacent to these ponds are asked to

## LEAVE A **10 FOOT BUFFER AROUND THE POND**

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*This buffer helps to slow down water, catching sediment, fertilizer, and other types of runoff/contaminants.*

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- **STORMWATER PONDS ARE NOT INTENDED FOR RECREATIONAL USE.** The contaminants collected in these areas are not suited for swimming.

**Working together and understanding the purpose for stormwater ponds helps protect the environment and benefits neighborhoods.**

MESSAGE FROM  
**POLICE CHIEF JOHN KOPP**  
**AND POLICE DEPARTMENT**

**ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES (ATV'S)**



The speed limit for ATV's is 10 mph within city limits. ATV's cannot be operated in a careless or reckless manner. ATV's can only be driven on the road when it has the proper licensure and the person driving the ATV has a valid driver's license. A helmet is required for all people who are riding or operating an ATV under the age of 18 years of age. All state statues and laws including City ordinances must be followed when driving within the boundaries of the City of Eagle Lake.

**FIREWORKS**

We receive numerous complaints every year about illegal fireworks being set off. **Any fireworks that are aerial and are explosive are illegal in Minnesota.** If you are caught with illegal fireworks, you may be subject to jail time and a fine or both.

**ROAD CLOSED SIGNS**

Please be mindful of the road closed signs, especially on Agency Street, where we have a large construction project going on. It is not only illegal to go around road closed signs, but also dangerous. The road closed signs are posted for a reason and not just to inconvenience people. You may be cited if you are found to be within a road closed area.



**TALL GRASS**

Please remember to keep your grass cut. Grass can be **no longer than 6 inches in height.** If you have grass longer than 6 inches in height, you are in violation of code.

**DOGS**

We get many complaints yearly about dogs running at large or not on a leash. We also get complaints about people not cleaning up dog waste. **All dogs must be licensed.** Contact City Hall if your dog is not licensed. These are all violations of city ordinances and people can be given citations for all of these offenses.

**POSTED SPEED LIMITS**



We have gotten several complaints about people going too fast on the residential side streets in town with the construction occurring on Agency. Please be mindful of the speed limit on residential streets in town. **Most residential streets in town have a 25 mph speed limit on them.** Please keep an eye on your speed and watch for posted speed limits. Also be mindful that we have a lot of adults and children out on bicycles and walking and need to drive at a safe speed.

# DOG LICENSES

Per Eagle Lake code, all dogs within city limits must be licensed. Please be sure that your dog wears its metal tag that is issued with the dog license. This helps the police identify where a dog lives so that it can be returned home if lost versus being impounded.



Please call or stop by City Hall to obtain a dog license application if your dog is not currently licensed.

*Replacement tags are available at **NO CHARGE** if a tag is lost or damaged.*

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# BUILDING AND ZONING PERMITS

Building permits are required for almost all construction projects including but not limited to new homes, garages, additions, decks, sheds over 200 square feet, windows, roofing, siding, etc. A building permit is also required for any building being moved onto a lot or any building being demolished. A zoning permit is required for sheds 200 square feet or less, patios, and fences.



The building and zoning permit application form is available on the City's website or can be obtained at City Hall during normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.).

*Please contact City Hall at 507-257-3218 with any questions.*

**CALL  
BEFORE DIGGING**  
Gopher State One Call  
**1-800-252-1166 or 811**

*Protect yourselves and your property against underground utility damage and liability. Before digging, anyone in Minnesota must call Gopher State One Call (GSOC) and find out where underground utility lines might be buried (no cost).*



# MOSQUITO CONTROL TREATMENT SCHEDULE

The City of Eagle Lake contracts Clarke with for mosquito control services. Nine treatments were scheduled for Eagle Lake this spring and summer.

Residents wishing to receive notification in advance of treatments can sign up using the following link: [www.clarkeportal.com](http://www.clarkeportal.com).

Click the "Register" hyperlink next to "Do not have an account?". Then click the "I am a Resident" button.

**REMAINING  
TREATMENTS**  
**July 6, 12, 19 & August 2, 16**  
*Dates may vary slightly due to weather or other factors.*



## FIBER OPTIC INTERNET, TV, AND PHONE

EXPANDING TO EAGLE LAKE - SUMMER 2021

Metro Fibernet, LLC (MetroNet) will be constructing and operating a fiber to the premises network (FTTP) for the purpose of providing state of the art all fiber voice, video, and internet services. MetroNet will construct an FTTP Network capable of providing voice, video, and internet fiber services to residents and businesses in the city of Eagle Lake. The FTTP network will be solely funded by MetroNet.

### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Question:** I have a sprinkler system, dog fence, sump pump line or other underground item. What do I need to do to make sure these items are marked and avoided during construction?

**Answer:** It is very important to notify MetroNet of these items. You can either mark them with pink flags or landscape-safe spray paint, or report them at [metronetinc.com/construction](http://metronetinc.com/construction) by clicking the "Ask Questions" tab.

**Question:** Does MetroNet have permission to be on my property?

**Answer:** MetroNet has the legal right to access the designated utility easements typically located within a strip of land running along the street, the sidewalk, the rear lot line, or between two lots. If the easement is within a fenced-in yard, crews will need your help accessing this area.

**Question:** When can I remove the utility marking flags and/or paint in my yard?

**Answer:** Markers and paint need to remain in place until construction of the network is complete.

**Question:** Will MetroNet restore the area in which they performed construction?

**Answer:** MetroNet makes every effort to minimize impact to properties. Once construction is complete and weather permits, MetroNet will restore lawns in areas where digging occurred.

*Please contact MetroNet directly with any questions or concerns.*

CUSTOMER SERVICE LINE: 1-877-386-3876

[ASK QUESTIONS](#) online communication tool or construction website [metronetinc.com/construction](http://metronetinc.com/construction)

## WATER TREATMENT SYSTEM STUDY

The City of Eagle Lake engaged Bolton and Menk in the fall of 2020 to complete a water treatment system study to provide information necessary to establish priorities, plan, fund, and implement required future water system improvements. Water treatment alternatives are actively being studied to determine feasibility.

### EXPERIENCING COLOR AND ODOR ISSUES?

Please notify City Hall so that the general location of complaints can be tracked.

# INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

## HWY 14/COUNTY ROAD 56 IN EAGLE LAKE

Following an analysis of intersection alternatives, the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT), Blue Earth County, and the City of Eagle Lake are moving forward with a Restricted Crossing U-Turn (also referred to as a J-Turn) at the intersection of Hwy 14 and Blue Earth County Road 56 in Eagle Lake.

**Construction is planned for 2022.**

Additionally, MnDOT recently installed pavement markings on CR 56 to encourage motorists to stop closer to Hwy 14, which improves visibility for CR 56 traffic as they either cross or turn onto Hwy 14. MnDOT worked closely with the project partners, as well as collected input from the community prior to arriving at the selected alternative of an RCUT. The public was invited to share feedback on the proposed concepts through a virtual presentation and online survey. For a summary of the community feedback, visit [mndot.gov/d7/projects/hwy14eaglelake/public-input.html](https://mndot.gov/d7/projects/hwy14eaglelake/public-input.html).

Additional information about the intersection, including Frequently Asked Questions, is available on the project website at [mndot.gov/d7/projects/hwy14eaglelake](https://mndot.gov/d7/projects/hwy14eaglelake).

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## CSAH 27 RECONSTRUCTION IN EAGLE LAKE

Blue Earth County in partnership with the City of Eagle Lake, is reconstructing the roadway and the underlying city watermain and sanitary sewer on CSAH 27 (Agency Street) from LeRay Avenue to Thomas Dr. Sidewalk will be constructed on the west side of the road from Thomas Dr. to Parkway Ave. and on both the east and west sides of the street from Valley Lane to Le Ray Ave.

### CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

**MAY 2021** → **OCTOBER 2021** → **SUMMER 2022**  
START FINISH FINAL PAVING

FOR PROJECT UPDATES, VISIT:

<https://eaglelakemn.com/city/current-construction-projects> or  
<https://www.blueearthcountymn.gov/CSAH27>

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## PEDESTRIAN CONNECTIVITY STUDY

The City of Eagle Lake, as a member of the Mankato/North Mankato Area Planning Organization (MAPO), seeks a pedestrian connectivity study to evaluate the feasibility, alternative layouts, right of way needs, and alternative costs for the provision of pedestrian services across and along CSAH 27 from Thomas Drive to 211th Street in Eagle Lake.

# EAGLE LAKE STAFF MEMBERS

## ADMINISTRATION



**Jennifer J. Bromeland**  
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**Kerry Rausch**  
*Deputy City Clerk*  
krausch@eaglelakemn.com

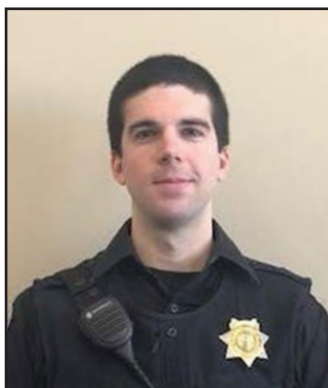


**Mandy Auringer**  
*Administrative Clerk*  
mauringer@eaglelakemn.com

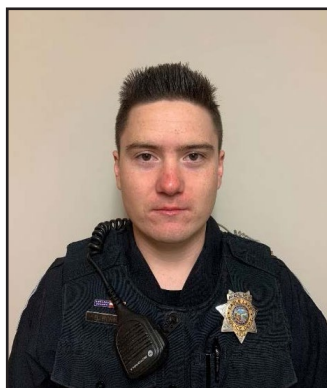
## POLICE



**John Kopp**  
*Chief of Police*  
elpd@eaglelakemn.com



**Dustin Jensen**  
*Full-Time Officer*



**Benjamin Romig**  
*Full-Time Officer*



**Zachary Keesey**  
*Part-Time Officer*

-- NOT PICTURED --

**Evan Chirpich**  
*Part-Time Officer*

## RECENTLY **PROMOTED**

Part-time police officer Benjamin Romig was recently promoted as a full-time officer with the Eagle Lake Police Department. Officer Romig began working for the department as a part-time officer in June 2020.

**Congratulations, Officer Romig!**

## RECENTLY **HIRED**

Evan Chirpich was recently hired as a part-time police officer for the Eagle Lake Police Department.

**Welcome, Officer Chirpich!**

## PUBLIC WORKS



Andrew Hartman, Brian Shoemaker, Michael Nicklay, Brian Goettl, Luke Longoria, and Jerry Haber  
(Left to Right)

**Brian Goettl**, *Public Works Director* | [bkgoettl@eaglelakemn.com](mailto:bkgoettl@eaglelakemn.com)

**Andrew Hartman**, *Public Works Supervisor* | [elpw@eaglelakemn.com](mailto:elpw@eaglelakemn.com)

**Michael Nicklay**, *Public Works Worker* | **Brian Shoemaker**, *Part-Time Public Works Worker*

**Jerry Haber**, *Seasonal Public Works Worker* | **Luke Longoria**, *Seasonal Public Works Worker*

## RECENTLY **HIRED**

Luke Longoria was recently hired as a seasonal public works worker. **Welcome, Luke!**

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

**Dan Ruschmeyer**, *Fire Chief* | [elfdchief@eaglelakemn.com](mailto:elfdchief@eaglelakemn.com)

*Please contact City Hall at 507-257-3218 with any questions.*

# EAGLE LAKE ELECTED OFFICIALS

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**Tim Auringer**  
*Mayor*

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**Beth Rohrich**  
*Council*

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**Garrett Steinberg**  
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**Anthony White**  
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**John Whittington**  
*Council*

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## NEWLY APPOINTED CITY COUNCIL MEMBER

John Whittington was recently appointed by the Mayor and City Council to fill a vacancy left by Dennis Terrell who resigned from the City Council due to moving outside of city limits. **We welcome John Whittington to the City Council.**



**THANK  
YOU!**

We thank Dennis Terrell for his many years of dedicated service to the Eagle Lake Community.



**Pictured:** Mayor Tim Auringer presenting Councilmember Dennis Terrell with a plaque to recognize his years of dedicated service to the City of Eagle Lake. Councilmember Terrell served on the City Council beginning in 1986 until 1994 and again in 2011 until April 5, 2021.